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COMBUSTION ENGINE

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed February 8, 2005, please amend  
the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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